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FM AMEMBASSY GUATEMALA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2498

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E.O. 11652: NA  
TAGS: ETRD, GT  
SUBJ: WILL USG RAISE IMPORT DUTY ON HONEY?

1. GUATEMALAN EXPORT PROMOTION AGENCY(GUATEXPRO) VERY CONCERNED ABOUT REPORT THEY RECEIVED FROM US FIRM THAT SPECIAL TRADE REPRESENTATIVE HAS RECOMMENDED TO PRESIDENT THAT IMPORT DUTY ON HONEY BE RAISED FROM ONE CENT PER POUND(ABOUT 3 PERCENT AD VALOREM AT CURRENT PRICES) TO 30 PERCENT AD VALOREM. GUATEMALA EXPORTED \$1.8 MILLION OF HONEY IN 1975, ALTHOUGH ONLY 6"31,000 OF THAT TO THE U.S.

2. EMBASSY UNABLE TO CONFIRM THIS REPORT NOR WHETHER GOG COULD SUBMIT PETITION ON THIS ISSUE. PLEASE ADVISE ANDREWS

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